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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Examiner: Pasqua, Jes F  
Applicant: Irving R. Michlin et al  
Serial No: 10/653,792  
Filed: September 3, 2003  
TITLE: Blank and Method for Forming a Novelty Product

Customer No.:27,162

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

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x 100	\$100
x 135	

TOTAL: \$100.00

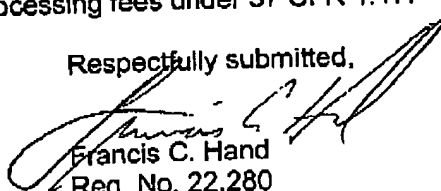
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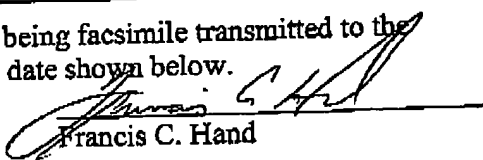
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**AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2006, please amend the  
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